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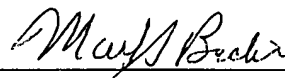
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 and M.P.E.P. § 609, Applicant requests that the patents (copies of non-U.S. patents enclosed), listed on the attached form and cited in the attached International Search Report, the attached German Examination Report and/or the application, be made of record in the above-identified application.

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